## 2025 Southeastern Youth Fair Bertie Hill Award Presented by Marion County Cattlewomen

Coordinator: Marion County Cattlewomen Attention: Stephanie Edwards 352-843-0615 Entry Deadline: Friday, January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025 Entry Mail to: Southeastern Youth Fair, PO Box 404, Ocala, FL 34478 or Hand Deliver to Fair Office.

Every year, Marion County Cattlewomen recognize a young lady in honor of Bertie Hill. Bertie Hill was one of the most active and outstanding members of Marion County Cattlewomen. She was an encouraging role model of our youth participating in the Beef Industry.

To qualify the recipient must:

- be an active member of FFA and/ or 4H and in good standing.
- participate in the Southeastern Youth Fair Beef Heifer project for two years and currently entered in the Southeastern Youth Fair Beef Heifer Show.
- be actively involved in the Beef Industry with a working knowledge of approved animal husbandry practices, sound management practices and good record keeping skills.
- exhibit integrity, dedication and leadership skills.
- submit a Southeastern Youth Fair Beef Heifer record book for judging.
- include at least one letter of recommendation (not related to applicant) attesting to the qualities listed above.

Qualified applicants who submit a completed application will be required to interview with Marion County Cattlewomen.

An engraved tray will be presented by the Marion County Cattlewomen during the Southeastern Youth Fair Steer Awards (please see schedule).

## Please print or type the following information:

Name:	Date of Birth:
School:	Grade:

4h Club or FFA Chapter:\_\_\_\_\_

# of years participating in the Southeaster Youth Fair Beef Heifer Project:\_\_\_\_\_

## \*Attach additional sheet as needed\*

- 1. List accomplishments and contributions you have made:
  - a. within the Beef Industry
  - b. as a member or 4H and/ or FFA
- 2. How have you assisted other youth in the Beef Project?
- 3. Name four qualifications four your steer that are required to gain entry into the Southeastern Youth Fair Beef Heifer show
  - a.
  - b.
  - c.
  - d.
- 4. Name two important characteristics to consider when selecting a Beef Heifer production prospect
  - a.
  - b.
- 5. Write a brief summary of your interests to include school, community or church.
- 6. What are your future plans?

It is advised that you make a copy of this entry for your records. Entry Mail to: Southeastern Youth Fair, PO Box 404, Ocala, FL 34478 or Hand Deliver to Fair Office.